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Title: Moab Intern

Position Type: Seasonal Internship

Stipend: \$500/mo

Location: Moab, UT

Supervisor: Moab Program Manager

Internship Summary

Program interns assist in all aspects of Splore's whitewater rafting program. Not only will they be given training as whitewater river guides but they will also learn the intricacies of running a non-profit adventure program. Interns will begin their summer learning about the logistics of putting on a river trip. Their days will mainly be spent planning menus, packing food /equipment, assisting with cleanup and setting up trip paperwork. Once these skills have been mastered they will have the opportunity to learn more about the river corridors and field operations, while acting as crew on trips. This will be the time when interns are able to get more experience raft guiding and leading groups. The culmination of the internship will be when the intern has gained the experience necessary to acquire their Utah Crew License and run people down the river as a full-fledged river guide.

Major Tasks and Responsibilities

- Lead paddle and oar rig crews through class II-III rapids on sections of the Green and Colorado rivers
- Lead participants in games and other activities throughout the duration of their trip
- Lead instructional talks regarding safety and leave no trace camping techniques
- Cook amazingly tasty meals while on the river
- Assist guides and trip leaders with packing and cleaning of river and camping equipment
- Organize, maintain and repair equipment as necessary
- Develop a comprehensive understanding of the equipment necessary to provide top-notch rafting and camping experiences
- Maintain vehicles
- Assist in food purchasing and packing
- Assist Program Manager and Operations Manager with trip planning and shuttle logistics
- Assist in the upkeep of the house and boathouse
- General landscaping
- Minor repair projects
- Drive large trucks and vans with attached boat trailer



- Participate fully as a member of the National Ability Center staff team
- Comply with National Ability Center safety and health policies and procedures

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- Other duties as identified.

Required Knowledge and Qualifications

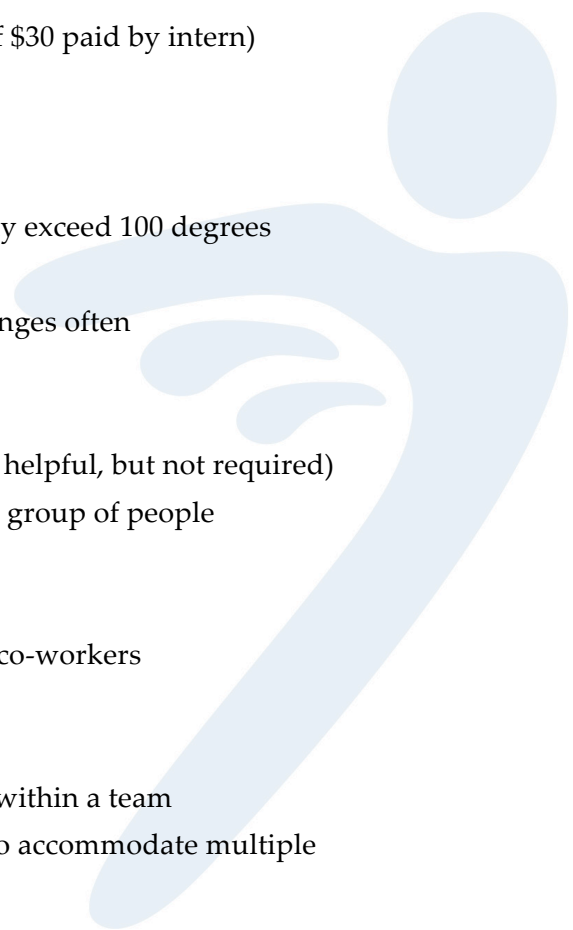
- Must currently be enrolled in a Recreation, Leadership or similar program at a university or college
- Must be able to start no later than May 15th, 2017 (move in 14th or 15th)
- Current Wilderness First Aid or Wilderness First Responder (through WMI, WMA, or SOLO) and CPR certifications
- Current driver's license and clean driving record
- Willingness to obtain a Utah Food Handlers certification (cost of \$30 paid by intern)
- 21 years of age or older, 25+ preferred

PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS:

- Able/willing to work long hours in temperatures which regularly exceed 100 degrees
- Able/willing to lift and carry objects weighing up to 75 lbs
- Able/willing to work irregular hours with a schedule which changes often

INTERPERSONAL SKILLS:

- Desire to work with people with disabilities (prior experience is helpful, but not required)
- Outgoing personality with the ability to have fun with a diverse group of people
- Customer service oriented
- Ability to lead groups in an outdoor setting
- Ability to communicate effectively with both participants and co-workers
- Excellent communication, facilitation, and people skills
- Ability to organize and manage multiple priorities
- Demonstrated ability to work productively and collaboratively within a team
- Flexible with a strong work ethic and an entrepreneurial spirit to accommodate multiple responsibilities and shifting priorities
- Ability to work well with others and motivate people
- Demonstrated history of responsibility, dependability, and maturity
- Ability to positively receive and provide job coaching for personal development
- Commitment to a positive, fun and team-oriented working environment





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Benefits

- Experience: Interns will gain valuable experience working as an outdoor professional, and working with people of all abilities
- Training: Interns will have the opportunity to take part in various trainings including river guiding, ability awareness, and risk management
- Stipend: Interns are paid \$500 per month
- Housing and Partial Board: Housing is provided. Some food will be provided
- Fun: Moab, Utah is a world renowned location for outdoor recreation. Sandwiched between Arches National Park and Canyonlands National Park, Moab offers a ton of rock climbing, hiking, boating, and biking right outside your door!
- *Refer to National Ability Center Intern Handbook for specific details*

